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Pembroke Man Sentenced for Federal Firearms Offenses

Bangor, Maine: United States Attorney Paula D. Silsby announced that **Travis L. Stevens**, 36, of Pembroke, was sentenced on February 13, 2007, in U.S. District Court in Bangor, to 33 months imprisonment, 3 years supervised release, a \$500.00 fine and a special assessment of \$100.00, for Possession of Firearms by a Convicted Felon.

Court records reveal that in January 2006, during the execution of a search warrant at Stevens' residence in Pembroke, Maine, Stevens was found to be in possession of 3 firearms, a combo military pack rifle, a 12 gauge shotgun and a .410 shotgun. In 1993 Stevens had been convicted of a felony in Maine Superior Court. As a felon, Stevens is prohibited from possessing firearms.

This case originated with an undercover investigation conducted by the Maine Warden Service. The Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives also assisted with the investigation which revealed that Stevens had a history of violating fish and game laws and had continued such illegal activity by engaging in unlawful hunting of many deer and harbor seals.

United States Attorney Silsby praised the investigation conducted by the Maine Game Warden Service and the Eastern Maine Violent Crime Task Force.